# How to use government grants with intelligence: new machinery park and high-quality wood chips



Venturini was founded in 1985 as an agricultural company, to then devote itself to forestry work since 1997. With the entry of Michele, the owner's son, the forestry activity took over and traditional work systems led to employment of more modern machines, with large investments. The transformation from a traditional forest company to a modern enterprise has been realized thanks to the Region Tuscany Rural Development Plan 2007-13, which has allowed Venturini Biomasse to completely renovate the machinery and reorganize itself, becoming a reference in the territory for the supply of wood chips.

Venturini Biomasse is a beautiful example of a family-run company that, over the years, has been able to expand, renew and improve. Michele's entry into the family business also marked the change of pace at the business level. It is in fact thanks to his foresight that it has been possible to access public funding with the PRS 2007-2013, by exploiting them productively on the basis of clear, concrete objectives and above all calibrated to company dimensions.

## Through the purchased equipment

the company has achieved important goals.

First, working conditions have improved. New technologies have also made it possible to optimize logistics. A strategy of diversification and, above all, of production qualification, has allowed the company to start operating outside the local market, obtaining a positioning capable of guaranteeing better sales conditions and therefore greater profitability. The company is healthy today, with good development prospects, and aims to grow further. There is no shortage of design ideas for the future, such as the expansion of a covered structure to optimize the storage and handling of the chips produced, or the construction of a forced drying plant to speed up production cycles.

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**DETALLES** ORIGEN DE LA MADERA POTENCIAL DE MOVILIZACIÓN Bosaue 1.500-2.000 t per year **TIPO DE MADERA** Madera en rollo POTENCIAL DE SOSTENIBILIDAD - VALOR TIPO DE MADERA AFECTADA **FACILIDAD DE APLICACIÓN** "Wood chips: fir, Douglas fir, pine, Firewood: chestnut, oak, beech" Medium: huge investments are needed IMPACTO EN EL MEDIO AMBIENTE Y LA BIODIVERSIDAD FACILIDAD DE IMPLEMENTACIÓN - EVALUACIÓN The traceability of the raw material and compliance of good forest management is guaranteed by current regional and national legislation **EFECTO SOBRE LOS INGRESOS** PREREQUISITOS CLAVE In-depth knowledge of the regional rural development program N/A POTENCIAL DE EXPLOTACIÓN TIPO DE EVENTO EN EL QUE SE HA PRESENTADO ESTA IFS HUB **EFECTO SOBRE EL EMPLEO** 6-8 employees IMPACTO ECONÓMICO COSTES DE IMPLEMENTACIÓN (EURO - €) 200-300.000 euro per year

#### CONOCIMIENTOS ESPECÍFICOS NECESARIOS

Knowledge of available public funding and planning capacity

MáS DETALLES			
RETO ABORDADO	DOMINIO	TIPO DE SOLUCIÓN	
	Industria de la dendroenergía		
PALABRAS CLAVE	SOLUCIÓN DIGITAL	INNOVACIÓN	
	No	No	
PAÍS DE ORIGEN	ESCALA DE APLICACIÓN	AñO DE INICIO Y FIN	
Italia	Regional/sub-nacional		
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